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SUBJECT: HELICOPTER SALES TO SOMALIA MILITARY

REF: NAIROBI 0784 (NOTAL)

1. REGARDING LOCAL BELL HELICOPTER REPRESENTATIVE INTEREST
IN SALES OF HELICOPTERS TO SOMALIA MILITARY, AS REPORTED
REFTEL, DEPARTMENT WISHES ALERT ADDRESSEES THAT USG DOES
NOT FAVOR SALE OF HELICOPTERS TO SOMALIA FOR MILITARY
PURPOSES AND WOULD THEREFORE NOT APPROVE ISSUANCE OF EXPORT
LICENSE FOR COMMERCIAL SALE.

2. FURTHERMORE, MILITARY HELICOPTERS HAVE BEEN DEFINED AS
MAJOR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT AND AS SUCH THEY WOULD HAVE TO BE
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PROCURED UNDER FOREIGN MILITARY SALES (FMS) PROCEDURES IF
THE PROSPECTIVE SALE WERE \$25 MILLION OR MORE. SOMALIA IS
NOT RPT NOT ELIGIBLE TO PROCURE DEFENSE ARTICLES AND
SERVICES UNDER FMS PROCEDURES AND THERE IS NO INCLINATION
IN USG AT THIS TIME TO CONSIDER REQUEST OF SOMALIA, IF MADE,
TO SEEK REQUIRED PRESIDENTIAL DETERMINATION.
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